

we could defend ourself, and carry the war into Africa. He is entirely mistaken as to the political character of the legislature which passed that act. It was a democratic legislature, and nearly every democratic member voted for, and more than two-thirds of the whigs against it! We state this on the authority of both whig and democratic members from that State, in the present Congress.

definitive action in the then state of the House.

ESSAYS ON THE PUNISHMENT OF DEATH.
By Charles Spear, author of "Titles of Jesus," "Essays on Imprisonment, on Debt, &c." &c. 12mo. 12 pp. 1844.

We would that we could induce every one of our subscribers to buy this book. It is the clearest and most condensed array of facts and arguments, on the subject of Capital Punishment, that we ever met with. Portions of it are thrilling in the extreme. We do not envy the head or the heart of the man, who can rise from its perusal without an utter abhorrence of this bloody reli-

of barbarism, and a determination to do his utmost to sweep it from our criminal code with or without benefit of clergy. The author is a poor man, well known for his philanthropic efforts, and love of the human race. He has printed it at his own expense. Buy the book, and lend it far and wide. It will scatter good seed, and yield a noble harvest. For sale at our office, 143 Nassau street.

Jonathan Palmer departed this life on the 20th

instant, at his residence, in Fallington, Bucks county Pennsylvania, in the eighty-first year of his age. He was a most kind-hearted and conscientious man, greatly beloved and respected by relatives and friends. He was much interested in the anti-slavery cause, and warmly sympathized with those who were laboring for his

ren in bondage. The week previous to his death, he was active in spreading notices of a meeting for Lucretia Mott, in the village where he lived; a service he was always ready to perform. Few persons had less to reproach themselves with than this Friend. The governing principle of his life, in small things as well as great, seemed to be, to do unto others as he would wish them to do to him. He was a very intelligent man, and a great reader. His memory was very tenacious. He knew Homer's

land from beginning to end.

He was a direct descendant of the first settlers of Pennsylvania. The land on which they settled still remains in his family; and the remains of the cave where they first found shelter, may still be seen.—I. T. H.

HYDROPATHY, OR THE WATER CURE.

This is the title of a volume lately published by Wiley & Putnam, Broadway. It is chiefly compiled from the most eminent English authors on the subject, by Joe Shaw, M. D. It gives a very complete view of the

ciples of Hydropathy, and of the modes of treatment in almost every variety of disease. Those who wish to understand how to apply the Water Cure judiciously and successfully, will do well to buy this book. The subject

is an important one, and deserves attention. The number of converts to this theory increase daily, both in this country and in Europe; and among them are numbered many scientific and reflecting men. "Regular practitioners" are adopting it more and more into their own practice. An abridgment of Chridge's book on this subject passed through eighteen editions in as many months. This theory may of course be abused by the ignorant. So much the more need to buy this book, and understand

Anti-Slavery Items.

FLIGHT OF A SLAVE.—An escaped slave from Louisiana, arrived in this town last week, having traveled on foot the entire distance. A companion who started with him, died of fatigue and exhaustion before they got as far as Union Mills. (The

and by retired ways, and suffered much from the laceration of their feet. The one who reached the town was very shy, and would not trust himself in any kind of vehicle, even with those who were disposed to give them assistance. Nor would he go into a store to obtain

CASSIUS M. CLAY.—BURRITT's Christian Freeman contains the following letter from this noble-hearted champion of freedom:

LEXINGTON, KY. 30, 1844.

of opposition to slavery, which, for ten years of war and denunciation and perils unknown to men, I have nurtured unextinguishable in my bosom. It was in New Haven, at the time of the public meeting called in denunciation of those who had for slavery imprisoned the Christian

kee (Georgian missionaries, that I first felt that indignation against oppression which determined me to mount eternal war against slavery—and though I have stood alone, one against a thousand, I thank God that thus far I have remained unscathed in person and unsubdued in spirit. I rejoice that the hearts of my countrymen in all the Union are beginning to be moved; as the rushing waters of the great ocean, the people are troubled, and what shall be able to still the waves? More especially do I take courage from the fact that the Church of the living God, which in times past has been the pioneer of

liberty and equal rights among men, has begun to awaken from the sleep of death which had placed its very fingers upon lids that should never close, but be constant in eternal vigils, for without trial and suffering even here on earth, there is neither triumph nor glory!

Even here, where I have so often heard the Job-like comfort, "What a pity that a man of such flattering prospects should have forever ruined himself," brighter times begin to dawn, and many are waiting the signal to

From the Herald of Freedom.

THE CONCORD CLAY CLUB.—A club of this name has recently been formed in this town, for the purpose of promoting the election of Henry Clay to the presidency of the United States. They issued an address in this behalf, drawn up by a deacon of one of the Orthodox

churches here, and published in the wing paper printed in the village. The abolitionists, though not caring to interfere in any contest for the presidency between Henry Clay and any opponent he may have, felt called on to notice so public and pointed a contempt upon the anti-slavery movement, and to point it out, and hold it up, as evidence of the pro-slavery character of the people, and the Church here. It was concluded to hold a meeting, and the following placard was struck off and posted in the street as a notice:

CLAY

THE SLAVEHOLDER.

His character will be discussed this evening at the court-house, at half-past 6.

He denied in '38, that colored people could safely have their liberty in this country.

He is president of a society for banishing them as fast

He spread the curse of slavery over Missouri.
He inflicted perpetual slavery on Arkansas by a casting vote.
He is for perpetuating it in the national capital.
He is against its abolition in Kentucky.
He is the personal enslaver, master and tyrant of 50 or 60 persons.
The Concord whites and church-members have nomi-

formed themselves into a CLUB, to effect his election!
Let the people assemble this evening, and speak their
sentiments on the outrageous act.
Tuesday, Feb. 13.
Some two or three hundred of the people assembled,
including some of the whig and democratic citizens.
The following resolution was read, and made subject of

comment, along with the items in the placard, and passed at the close of the discussion without a dissenting voice, excepting the nays (neighs) of a few trifling boys :

Resolved, That slaveholding is one of the darkest and most atrocious of crimes, and ought to cover its perpetrator with a corresponding infamy : that it is, therefore

Donations.—C. S. Fay, Southboro, Mass. 50c.; Cash Berlin, Mass. \$1.35; Lewis H. Barnard, do. 75c.; Geo. A. Babcock, do. \$2; Nancy Babcock, do. \$2; Joseph Merriam, Princeton, Mass. \$2; James W. Everleigh, do. \$5; Moses Woodward, do. \$1; John Fessenden, do. \$1.
ISAAC T. HOPPER, *Treasurer*.

21st, 1843, the following resolutions were unanimously adopted:

In this State require that the Pennsylvania Freeman, instead of being issued as it now is, gratuitously and at irregular intervals, should be published as a regular monthly or semi-monthly paper, to be issued at stated periods and sustained by a regular subscription list.

"Resolved, That for the sake of convenience and economy, and the better to insure success in the measure, an arrangement be made, if practicable, with James M. McKim, our publishing agent, and C. C. Burleigh, our corresponding secretary and travelling agent, by which they shall become the editors and the publishers of the paper, and have the sole responsibility of its management."

In pursuance of the above resolutions, an arrangement has been made by which the undersigned have agreed

revive the Pennsylvania Freeman as a regular semi-monthly paper, and to assume the entire control and responsibility of its publication.

The first number will be issued in the second week of September. It will be published in the form of a small paper, of the size of a note, and of the same type. The price will be 75 cents per annum, in advance.

It is to be understood that the paper will not differ from the one now published, in any of its principles, or in the anti-slavery papers, except it be in the fact that it will allow, perhaps, a wider range of discussion, and, in the amount of freedom of expression, to those of any mere organ of a society, or any paper not conducted on individual responsibility.

It is to be further stated, that mainly except our attention will be the Church, the clergy, political parties, and political partisans; their present condition in respect to the subject of slavery, and the duty such abolitionists have regard to them.

There are other topics of perhaps equal importance, which may be raised, and the duty such abolitionists have shall claim our notice. Among these may be mentioned the duty of abstinence from slave-labor products, and the duty of abstention from the use of the property of the 40,000 of our honest citizens.

The columns of the paper will be open to all classes of persons, who may desire to express their views on anti-slavery meetings of every description will be freely published.

Yours very respectfully,
C. C. BURLEIGH.

Advertisements.—There is a very considerable class of business men among abolitionists and others, whose interests are not in the publication of a paper, but in the business Freeman. It is hoped that such will send in their

NEW-YORK WHOLESALE PRICES CURRENT.	
CORRECTED WEEKLY FOR THE STANDARD.	
ASHES.	IRON.
Pot, first sort 4.63½ a 4.75	Pig, Eng. & Sc. ton 50.00 a 52.50
Pearl 6.08½ a 6.15½	Co. American 20.00 a 28.50
CANDLES.	Bar do. rolled 75.00 a 77.50
Mould, tallow lb. 9 a 12	do. Russia P, S, L, 100.00

Perm	30 a 35	do. do. do. do.	75.00 a .
Stearic do.	20 a 25	do. Sweden	70.00 a 80.00
		do. Eng. com.	a 87.50
		do. do. refined	a 70.00
		Sheet E. & Am. lb.	5 1/2 a 6 1/2
		Hoop do. do. wt.	5.00 a 5.50
			LEAD.
		Pig, 100 lbs.	3.37 1/2 a 3.50
		Bar, lb.	4 a 4 1/2

Java	10	a 11	Sheet	4 1/2	a
Sumatra	7 1/2	a	7 1/2	LEATHER.	
Porto Rico	7 1/2	a	8	Oak lb. (sole.)	19 a 24
1.000000	7 1/2	a	7 1/2	Hemlock, light	16 a 18

Cuba	6 1/2	7 1/2	do.	middle	13 1/2	16
Brazil	6 1/2	7 1/2	do.	heavy	13 1/2	14 1/2
St. Domingo	6 1/2	6 1/2	do.	damaged	8 1/2	10
COTTON.				LUMBER.		
New Orleans	8 1/2	12	Boards, N. R. :			\$0.00 = \$5.00.
Alabama	8 1/2	12	M. R.			
Florida	8 1/2	11	do. best piece			" = 10.00.
Upland	8 1/2	11 1/2	do. Albany, time			" = 10.00.
Upland, fair	10 1/2	11	Plank G. Albany, N. R.		20.00	34.00.
Upland, good and fine	10 1/2	11	Scantling pine		14.00	15.00.
DOMESTICS.						
			do. pk.		30.00	25.00.

Shirtings, brown 3-4	4½ a 8	Timber oak, cu. ft.	.35 a	.37
do. do. 7-8	8 a 7	do. Ga. yel. pine	.35 a	40
do. do. bleached	8 a 7	Shingles, cy. M.	11.00 a	14.00
do. S. I. do.	7 a 11	Staves w. o. pipe M.	80.00 a	63.00
Sheetings, brown 4-4	7 a 11	do. do. hhd.	54.00 a	56.00
do. do. 5-4	10 a 12½	do. do. bbl.	28.00 a	30.00
do. do. bleached 4-4	7 a 12	do. r. oak hhd.	56.00 a	58
do. do. 5-4	12 a 15	Heading, w. o.	40.00 a	45.00

Calicoes, blue	7	a	12	Flannels	25.00	a	30.00
do. fancy	6	a	8				
Plaids	9	a	11	New-Orleans, gall.	30	a	3
Stripes, fast colors	8	a	10	Porto Rico	28	a	2
Satinettes	25	a	70	St. Croix			
Cheeks 4-4	8	a	12	Trinidad, Cuba	37	a	2
Cotton yarn, 5 a 13	14	a	10	Martinique & Guadeloupe			
do. 14 a 19			17	Havana & Matanzas	28	a	

DRUGS & DYES.		NAILS.	
Alum, lb.	3 a	Gal, 4d a 40d	4 a 4
Cochineal	.35 a 1.05	(3d 1 cent and 3d 2 cents more.	
Copperas	1 1/2 a 12	Wrought, 6d a 20d	10 a 12
Gum Myrrh	10 a 45	Horseshoe, No. 7 a 9	18 a 30
do. copal washed	85 a 42	NAVAL STORES.	
do. Arabic	22 a 38	Tar, bbl.	1.25 a 1.60
Madder, Dutch.	121 a 95	Pitch	1.191 a 1.90

Oil of Anis	2.00 a	Rosin	.60 a	.85	
castor, gall.	87 1/2 a	Turp. Wilton soft	2.50 a	2.60	
Tartaric acid, lb.	38 a	do. N. C. soft	2.12 1/2 a	2.25 1/2	
Verdigris	23 a	Spirits turp'tine gal.	32 a	34	
Vitriol, blue	8 a	Oil S.			
DYEWOODS.					
Brasileto, ton	25.00 a	27.50	Olve, gall.	87 a	90
Cannwood	50.00 a	60.00	Linseed, America	75 a	85
			Whale refused	50 a	55

Fustic, Cuba	25.00 a 26.00	Sperm, fall	80 a 85
do. Tampico	16.00 a 18.00	do. winter	85 a 90
Logwood, Cay.	27.00 a 28.00	Lard oil	a 66
PEATHERS.		PROVISIONS.	
Live, foreign lb.	13 a 24	Beef mess bbl.	5.87 a 5.25
do. American	26 a 31	do. prime	3.87 a 4.25
FISH.		Butter, prime	16 a 18
Dry cod, cwt.	2.82 a 2.75	do. ord. to good	8 a 13

Dry scale	1.30 a 1.00	No. common	6 a
Pickled, bbl.	4.00 a 4.25	Hop's hard	8 a 7½
do. salmon, tee	\$6.00 at \$7.00	Pork, moss bbl.	9.25 a 9.75
Smoked do. lb.	.9 a .10	do. prime	7.25 a 7.75
Mackerel, 1, bbl.	10.75 a 10.87½	do. cargo	a
do. No. 2	8.75 a 8.87½	Cheese, Am. lb.	4½ a 5
do. No. 3	6.87½ a 7.00	Hams smoked	8 a 9
Shad, Ct. hf. bbl.	5.50 a 6.50	RICE.	
do. white, bbl.	6.00 a 7.00	100 lb.	2.50 a 2.00

Buckeye, 1/2 gal.	12.50	13.00	SALT.	25	30
Mare.	12.50	13.00		36	34
Herring, pickled	1.00	8.50	Turkish Isl.	25	30
do. seal box,	30	80	Bonadre	36	34
do. No. 1	20	80	Cuzco	36	36
do. No. 2	20	80	Ivica		
FLAX.			Cadiz		
Russia, lb.	8	11	St. Kitts		
America.	8	11	Lisbon		

FLOUR & MEAL.		Liverpool, ground	
Genesee per bbl.	4.93½ a 5.00	do. do. sack	1.17 a 1.20
Troy	a	do. do. fine	1.27½ a 1.45
Ohio, via canal	4.57½ a 5.93½	SOAP.	
Michigan	4.87½ a 4.93½	New-York, brown lb.	½ a 7
Philadelphia	4.87½ a 5.00	Castle	9½ a 10
Baltimore	a	STEEL.	
Richmond c. mill	5.62½ a 6.00	German lb.	101 a 10

Bra. duty	5.00	a	6.18	English, hoop L.	13	a	13
Druidywine	4.87½	a	5.00	Trieste, in boxes	6½	a	7
Georgetown	4.87½	a	5.00	American	5	a	5
Alexandria	4.50	a		Spring	5½	a	6
Fredericksburg	.	a					
Petersburg	.	a	5.00				
Rye flour	3.37½	a	3.50	St. Croix, lb.	7	a	8
Indian meal	2.50	a	2.62½	New Orleans	5½	a	7
				Cuba, Mucovato	6	a	7

do. per hhd.	12.00	a 12.25	Porto Rico	6	a 7
GRAIN.			Manana, white	8	a 9
Wheat, Ohio bush.	1.06	a 1.06	do. brown.	5	a 7
do. Genesee	1.00	a 1.00	Cuba, white	2	a 10
do. Southern new	90	a 1.00	do. brown.	6	a 7
Rye northern	67	a .70	Brazil, white		a
Corn north'n & Jersey	47	a .48	do. brown.		a
Southern	44	a .50	Manilla, brown	6	a 0
Doals, N. Y.	44				

Barley, N.A.	84	a	1.00	Lump	
Oats, northern	36	a	.87	Long	11 a 12
do. southern	30	a	.33		TALLOW.
do. New-Jersey				Foreign, lb.	
Beans, tea.	6.12	a	7.52	American	6 1/2 a 7 1/2
Peas do.	6.12	a	7.20		TEAS.
HEMP.					
				Imperial, lb.	30 a 70
Russia, ton	180.00	a	185.00	Gimpowder	30 a 70
Monilla	145.00	a	150.00		

American, dew at	100.00	11.00	Hyson	20	a	70
do. water ref	120.00	15.00	Young Hyson	30	a	70
			Hyson skin	20	a	30
			Souchong	23	a	44
			Bohea		a	
B. A. & Rio Grande, lb.	12	a				
California	4	a				
Orinoco	4	a				
Mexican	10	a				
S. American horse-plac.	10	a				
			Black, South Am. lb.			
			do. East Ind.	14	a	16
			Do. black skin			

Calcutta, dry	60 a .86	Wool.	
HOPS.		Am. Sax'y, fleece, lb.	42 a 46
First sort 1843, lb.	8 a 9	do. merino	40 a 45
HORNS.		Pulled, superfine	36 a 38
Ox, hundred	5.00 a 7.75	No. 1	30 a 32
Cow	1.00 a 3.00	No. 2	24 a 26

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